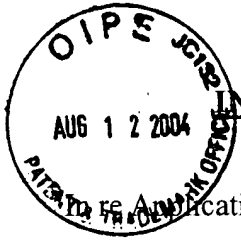


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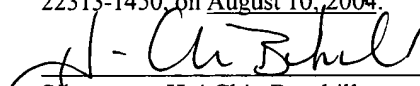
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Sir:

The non-final Office Action mailed May 11, 2004, has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please consider the following remarks.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.